IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT(s): Marion Roder

SERIAL NO.: 10/697,527 ART UNIT: 1634

FILING DATE: 10/30/2003 EXAMINER: SWITZER, JULIET

CAROLINE

TITLE: MICROSATELLITE MARKERS FOR PLANTS OF THE GENUS

TRITICEAE AND USE THEREOF

ATTORNEY

101195-84

DOCKET NO.:

CUSTOMER NO.: 021001

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

I. INTRODUCTION

This is in response to the Office Action mailed May 16, 2008 in regard to the above-identified patent application. This response is being filed within the period for response.

Please amend the Application as follows: